



PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (July 2022)
(Implements RCW 34.05.320)
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WSR 23-11-146

Agency: Department of Licensing

☒ Original Notice

☐ Supplemental Notice to WSR _____

☐ Continuance of WSR _____

☒ Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 23-07-113 ; or

☐ Expedited Rule Making--Proposed notice was filed as WSR _____; or

☐ Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4) or 34.05.330(1); or

☐ Proposal is exempt under RCW _____.

Title of rule and other identifying information: (describe subject) WAC 308-56A-140; WAC 308-56A-420; WAC 308-56A-425

Hearing location(s):

Date:	Time:	Location: (be specific)	Comment:
June 27, 2023	1:00 pm	Join Zoom Meeting https://dol-wa.zoom.us/j/81420275485?pwd=U3czbDR3VHM0T2hqTWdINFVJY0RIUT09 Meeting ID: 814 2027 5485 Passcode: 229458 One tap mobile +12532158782,,81420275485#,,, *,229458# US (Tacoma) +12532050468,,81420275485#,,, *,229458# US Dial by your location +1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma) +1 253 205 0468 US +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston) +1 408 638 0968 US (San Jose) +1 669 444 9171 US +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose) +1 719 359 4580 US +1 305 224 1968 US +1 309 205 3325 US +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago) +1 360 209 5623 US +1 386 347 5053 US +1 507 473 4847 US +1 564 217 2000 US +1 646 876 9923 US (New York) +1 646 931 3860 US	If you are having difficulty joining the Zoom meeting at the time of the public hearing, please call 360-902-0131. An in-person option is available at the highways and licenses building located at 1125 Washington St SE, Olympia, WA 98504.

	+1 689 278 1000 US +1 301 715 8592 US (Washington DC) Meeting ID: 814 2027 5485 Passcode: 229458 Find your local number: https://dol-wa.zoom.us/j/kh6saHnVK	
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Date of intended adoption: June 28, 2023 (Note: This is **NOT** the effective date)

Submit written comments to: Name: Kelsey Stone Address: 1125 Washington St. SE, Olympia, WA 98504 Email: rulescoordinator@dol.wa.gov Fax: Other: By (date) <u>June 27, 2023</u>	Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact <u>Kelsey Stone</u> Phone: 360-902-0131 Fax: TTY: Email: rulescoordinator@dol.wa.gov Other: By (date) <u>June 19, 2023</u>
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Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules: Updates to current rules are required to enact and memorialize the statutory changes resulting from HB 1790, passed in 2022.

Reasons supporting proposal: These rule updates will align rule with statute and provide greater clarity on the requirements and procedures for issuing temporary license plates.

Statutory authority for adoption: RCW 46.01.110

Statute being implemented: RCW 46.16A.300, RCW 46.16A.305

Is rule necessary because of a:

Federal Law?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Federal Court Decision?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
State Court Decision?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

If yes, CITATION:

Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters: N/A

Type of proponent: ☐ Private ☐ Public ☒ Governmental

Name of proponent: (person or organization) Department of Licensing

Name of agency personnel responsible for:

	Name	Office Location	Phone
Drafting:	Carl Backen	1125 Washington St SE, Olympia WA 98501	360-902-3843
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Enforcement:	George Price	1125 Washington St SE, Olympia WA 98501	360-902-0120

Is a school district fiscal impact statement required under [RCW 28A.305.135](#)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, insert statement here:

The public may obtain a copy of the school district fiscal impact statement by contacting:

Name:
Address:
Phone:
Fax:
TTY:
Email:
Other:

Is a cost-benefit analysis required under [RCW 34.05.328](#)?

☐ Yes: A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting:

Name:
Address:
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Other:

☒ No: Please explain: This rule does not meet the criteria under RCW 34.05.328(5) requiring a cost-benefit analysis.

Regulatory Fairness Act and Small Business Economic Impact Statement

Note: The [Governor's Office for Regulatory Innovation and Assistance \(ORIA\)](#) provides support in completing this part.

(1) Identification of exemptions:

This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, **may be exempt** from requirements of the Regulatory Fairness Act (see [chapter 19.85 RCW](#)). For additional information on exemptions, consult the [exemption guide published by ORIA](#). Please check the box for any applicable exemption(s):

☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under [RCW 19.85.061](#) because this rule making is being adopted solely to conform and/or comply with federal statute or regulations. Please cite the specific federal statute or regulation this rule is being adopted to conform or comply with, and describe the consequences to the state if the rule is not adopted.

Citation and description:

☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt because the agency has completed the pilot rule process defined by [RCW 34.05.313](#) before filing the notice of this proposed rule.

☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under the provisions of [RCW 15.65.570](#)(2) because it was adopted by a referendum.

☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under [RCW 19.85.025](#)(3). Check all that apply:

☐ [RCW 34.05.310](#) (4)(b)
(Internal government operations)

☐ [RCW 34.05.310](#) (4)(e)
(Dictated by statute)

☐ [RCW 34.05.310](#) (4)(c)
(Incorporation by reference)

☐ [RCW 34.05.310](#) (4)(f)
(Set or adjust fees)

☐ [RCW 34.05.310](#) (4)(d)
(Correct or clarify language)

☐ [RCW 34.05.310](#) (4)(g)
((i) Relating to agency hearings; or (ii) process requirements for applying to an agency for a license or permit)

☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under [RCW 19.85.025](#)(4) (does not affect small businesses).

☐ This rule proposal, or portions of the proposal, is exempt under RCW _____.

Explanation of how the above exemption(s) applies to the proposed rule:

(2) Scope of exemptions: Check one.

☐ The rule proposal is fully exempt (*skip section 3*). Exemptions identified above apply to all portions of the rule proposal.

☐ The rule proposal is partially exempt (*complete section 3*). The exemptions identified above apply to portions of the rule proposal, but less than the entire rule proposal. Provide details here (consider using [this template from ORIA](#)):

☒ The rule proposal is not exempt (*complete section 3*). No exemptions were identified above.

(3) Small business economic impact statement: Complete this section if any portion is not exempt.

If any portion of the proposed rule is **not exempt**, does it impose more-than-minor costs (as defined by RCW 19.85.020(2)) on businesses?

☒ No Briefly summarize the agency's minor cost analysis and how the agency determined the proposed rule did not impose more-than-minor costs. The amendatory rule language generally clarifies the procedures and requirements for the use of a temporary license plate by a licensed vehicle dealer. There are two policy changes included that differ from current practice. First, the amended rule requires all temporary license plates to be printed through the e-permitting system by a licensed vehicle dealer rather than being available for purchase from vehicle licensing offices. All licensed vehicle dealers currently use and have access to the e-permitting system which does not result in a cost increase to small businesses. The second change limits the number of unassigned temporary license plates that a licensed vehicle dealer may hold and leave unassigned for offline use. No additional cost is imposed on licensed vehicle dealers for purchasing additional unassigned temporary license plates.

☐ Yes Calculations show the rule proposal likely imposes more-than-minor cost to businesses and a small business economic impact statement is required. Insert the required small business economic impact statement here:

The public may obtain a copy of the small business economic impact statement or the detailed cost calculations by contacting:

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Fax:

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Email:

Other:

Date: May 24, 2023

Name: Ellis Starrett

Title: Rules and Policy Manager

Signature:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ellis Starrett', is written over the signature line.